

TREE 60 FEET TALL WILL MAKE A REAL CHRISTMAS FOR ALL

Great Gaily Lighted Balsam
Will Be Raised in Madison
Square.

TWO BAND CONCERTS.

Idea Is Mrs. J. B. Francis Her-
reshoff's and She Has Met
Generous Aid.

A people's Christmas tree, four stories
high and gleaming with hundreds of
multi-colored electric lights, is to be
raised in Madison Square, next week,
a gift to the city of New York by Mrs.
J. B. Francis Herreshoff and those who
have labored with her to make it a
possibility.

Beneath the great balsam, which was
one of the lords of an Adirondack for-
est, a band will play Christmas Eve
and Christmas night, and on both occa-
sions the lights will be lit. The tree
was brought to New York so no one
among the millions of the big city will
be without a personal property in a
Christmas tree, for the big one given
by Mrs. Herreshoff is for all the people.

The idea occurred to her when more
than a year ago, a young man from
out of town told her of a Christmas
he spent in a New York hotel. Through
gaily lighted windows he caught
glimpses of many trees, but none of the
lights sparkled for him, so it was a
desolate holiday.

Mrs. Herreshoff is a member of the
yacht-building family and lives in the
Georgetown Court, No. 58 Central Park
West. She spoke to the Mayor about
having a people's tree last year, but
was unable to put her plan into execu-
tion. The project for this year
was undertaken long ago, and is now
complete.

FINE TREE SIXTY FEET TALL IS
FOUND.

Friends of Mrs. Herreshoff became
enthusiastic over her idea and aided
her in many ways. First a tree had to
be found. The one selected was a
beauty, the finest specimen that could
be located, perfect in its symmetry and
towering sixty feet high.

The next problem was to get the
forest giant to New York. A railroad
official with a warm and sympathetic
heart agreed to do that, and he kept
his word so well that the big tree was
brought here without the loss of a
branch.

Then the New York Edison Company
consented to furnish the electric lighting
for the monster tree and has promised
to string dozens upon dozens of lights
in its boughs.

Mrs. Herreshoff and her associates
in the Christmas tree undertaking
wanted to give presents at the tree, but
the police, who were heartily in sym-
pathy with the tree idea, declared they
would not undertake to cope with the
people if gifts were to be distributed.

"We can have music anyway," said
Mrs. Herreshoff, so she arranged for a
big band to play the two evenings the
tree will be illuminated.

"The tree is for the thousands of
homeless and lonely," said Mrs. Her-
reshoff, "and the place where they most
congregate is Madison Square. We de-
cided not to give away the usual trif-
ling presents of candy and silly stock-
ings of useless things. Coal and food
are the people's needs, but the police
would not let us distribute such articles
to a crowd. The one idea of the tree
is to typify the Christmas spirit, to
say, 'Good luck, brother,' to thousands
who will listen to the two evenings of
Christmas music."

BODY OF WOMAN PETRIFIED.
CHESTER, W. Va., Dec. 18.—Miss
Swearingin, a tinworker here, caused
the body of his wife, who died nine
years ago, to be exhumed and rein-
terred in the Mill Creek Presbyterian
Cemetery, in Beaver County, Pa. The
body first was buried in a little cem-
etry near Mill Creek, and when ex-
humed was found to be petrified. It
weighed nearly 800 pounds.

HORSEBACK ROMANCE LEADS PAIR CANTERING RIGHT INTO MATRIMONY.



MISS
MAUPAI



A romance of the bridge path resulted
to-day in the wedding of Miss Helen
Frances Maupai of Weehawken, N. J.,
to Adolph Roth of New York City.
The ceremony was performed by the
Major of Weehawken at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand P. Maupai, par-
ents of the bride. Mr. Roth is a son of
Prof. Adolph Roth of No. 162 West Sev-
enty-fifth street. He is an ardent
sportsman and is familiar to Central
Park skaters because of his adeptness
on his Scandinavian skis.

Miss Maupai, who was educated
abroad, met young Roth while horse-
back riding. She is a member of the
Hoboken Riding Club. Young Roth be-
came a member of the club and the
long rides over the Jersey hills brought
the young lovers in daily contact. The
newlyweds will reside in Weehawken
after a short honeymoon in the South.

PAID \$4 FOR MURDER
AND GETS 20 YEARS.

Spence, Who Hired Gannon to Kill
Larsen, Goes to Sing Sing
To-Day.

Frederick Spence, a bartender who
was convicted of murder in the second
degree for having hired Thomas Gannon,
nineteen years old, to kill Christopher
Larsen, of No. 34 East Fortieth street,
March 24 last, was to-day sentenced to
Sing Sing Prison for a term of not less
than twenty years nor more than his
natural life by Judge Malone in Gen-
eral Sessions. Spence was immediately
taken to Sing Sing by Sheriff Julius
Harburger.

According to the testimony given by
Gannon, who pleaded guilty to man-
slaughter and is now awaiting sentence,
Spence paid him \$4 for the killing of
Larsen, who had opposed Spence's love
making to his niece. Spence at first
tried to kill Larsen himself, but when
he was beaten he hired Gannon to com-
mit the act. Gannon will be sentenced
by Judge Rosinsky some time in Janu-
ary.

Premier
ASK
YOUR
GROCER

PERRI-WALLA TEA
ROASTED COFFEE
STRAWBERRY JAM
CANNED CORN
FRANCIS H. LEGGETT & COMPANY

STERN PAPA RELENTS AND BROKEN WEDDING KNOT IS TIED AGAIN

Newburgh Couple, Twice Wed
Within Six Months, Are
Perfectly Happy Now.

Nineteen-year-old Peter Van Tienan
has just married the same girl for the
second time in six months.

Van Tienan, who is the son of a mer-
chant of Newburgh, met Miss Mary An-
derson, a neighbor, somewhat older, last
June, when the girl went to his father's
store to make purchases.

A month after they first met, Peter
induced Mary to accompany him to
Highland Falls on a little excursion.
When they reached there Mary learned
that Peter had arranged a secret wed-
ding and, yielding to his persuasions,
she married him.

Not until last November did Papa Tie-
nan discover that the youth whom he
still regarded as a child was a married
man. Father took it hard, so hard that
he immediately began annulment pro-
ceedings. Mrs. Peter, persuaded that
the youth would be better off away
from her, declined to protest the pro-
ceedings and the annulment was granted.

Peter kept right on in his father's
store, working as cheerfully as might
be. Always he declared he would re-
marry Miss Anderson as soon as he be-
came of age.

As months went by Peter became
more and more love sick and he con-
stantly pleaded with his father. Mr. Van
Tienan at last became convinced that it
would not do to keep the couple apart
and yesterday they hurried to Middle
Hops, accompanied by their families,
where the Rev. J. P. Lincoln of the
Methodist-Episcopal Church retied the
knot—so securely this time that it is
not apt to be untied soon again.

SANDBAGGED AND ROBBED
IN LONELY JERSEY STATION.

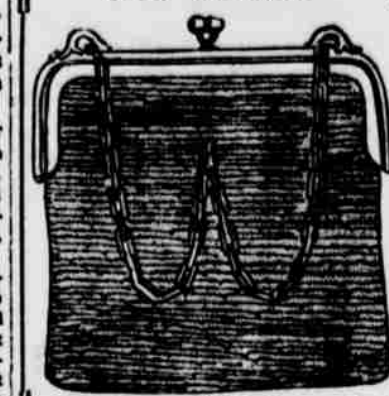
Salesman Identifies Four Tramps
as His Assaultants at
Jamesburg.

(Special to Evening World.)
JAMESBURG, N. J., Dec. 18.—F. A.
Davis, a travelling salesman for the
Ogden Bailey Company of Trenton, was
sandbagged and robbed of \$100 and Jew-
elry in the Pennsylvania Railroad sta-
tion here last night while waiting for a
train. Four tramps who were rounded
up later at a train camp a few miles
away were identified by the injured
man as his assailants and locked up.
Davis was sitting alone in the sta-
tion, the ticket agent having left the

station for a brief period. He was
counting up his cash gains for the day,
when four men entered. A passing coal
train prevented the possibility of a call
for help being heard. The men de-
manded money. When he refused one
struck him on the head with a sandbag
and he dropped, unconscious. Then the
robbers rifled his pockets and made off
with his watch and scrip as well as
the \$100 representing his cash sales of
the day.

William Day, a railroad employee,
found Davis after the robbers had
jumped on the passing coal train and
disappeared. A sheriff's posse set out
for the camp of the vagrants, two miles
out of town. Five men were arrested.
One, a negro, was allowed to go free.

Silver Mesh Bags for Xmas



\$18 and Upward

Thousands of Gift Suggestions in
Sterling Silver Mesh Bags and Silver
Plated Mesh Bags. Values from \$1 to \$1,000.

**LEBOLT
AND COMPANY**

Chicago House—State Cor. Monroe St.
Jewelry, Diamond Importers and
Silversmiths.

Fifth Avenue and 23d St.
Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention
Open Evenings and Saturday, Dec. 21;
Monday, Dec. 22; Tuesday, Dec. 24.

Worst Knit Goods

Auto Knitted
Coats and Vests, Hosiery
and Knit Underwear for
Men, Women and Children.
Art Needlework Exhibit
on the Balcony
every detail.
HENRY HESSE,
399 Sixth Ave., 24-25 St.

The Man Who Put the
E's in F.E.T.

Look for This Trade-Mark Picture
on the Label when buying
ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE.
The Antiseptic Powder for Tender,
Aching Feet. Sold everywhere. The
Sample FREE. Address:
ALLEN S. OLINSTEAD, Le Roy, N. Y.

SAMPLE RAINCOATS

Sensible, Useful Gifts—Big Savings
Less Than Wholesale Cost

A Raincoat has become the ideal gift. It rep-
resents health, economy and wisdom! Our stock
is the Goodyear Salesmen's Samples. Better
than the duplicates—at a fraction of cost.

Children's \$1.98 School Capes . . . 89c
In all the newest colors and designs.
Waterproof, smart, expert tailoring. . . .

Boys' \$6.00 Rubber Coats . . . 1.95
Durable, smart and very serviceable. An
indispensable gift. Stylish, well cut and
reduced. . . .

Men's and Women's Rubber Slip-Ons. 1.65
Made to retail at \$4.00. Best materials, and
most recent models. Expert workmanship

Women's Very Stylish 3.50 Men's Foreign Model
English Slip-Ons. Raincoats, at
Prices all the earmarks of
pre-eminent tailoring and
finish. Values as high as \$12.50.

Men's and Women's Fashionable Cravenettes. 7.50
A splendid Christmas gift—at a saving. Newly conceived
patterns; smart designs. Values as high as \$22.00.

Men's and Women's Distinctive Cravenettes. 9.75
No better gift known. The smartest coat of all. Advanced
designs and materials are exclusive. Val. as high as \$31.50

Goodyear Sample Shop, 783 B'way
NEAR 10TH ST. OPPOSITE WANAMAKER'S. OPEN EVENINGS.

A JOKE SHOP

Manned by the greatest wits of the day,
is running full blast in making ready
the copy of

"FUN"

a brand new 16-page edition of which
will go

FREE
NEXT

SUNDAY'S WORLD

a newspaper whose all around merits have
won for it a circulation in New York
City greater than the Sunday Herald,
Sunday Times, Sunday Sun and Sunday
Tribune ADDED TOGETHER.

ORDER IN ADVANCE.

Lord & Taylor

Founded 1836

Holiday Gifts

Attractive Gifts in
Imported Jewelry,
Fans, Frames,
Electric Boudoir & Desk Lamps

Sterling Silver Mesh Bags . . . \$15.00 to \$95.00
Gold Plated Mesh Bags . . . \$10.95 to \$35.00
Sterling Silver Vanity Cases . . \$7.50 to \$45.00
Bead Bags
In black and colors . . . \$5.95 to \$45.00
Pearl Necklaces . . . \$1.00 to \$95.00
Gold Bracelets . . . \$7.50 to \$45.00
Gold Bar Pins . . . \$3.50 to \$30.00
Pearl Collars . . . \$4.95 to \$65.00
Fancy Hair Ornaments . . . 50c to \$20.00
Boudoir Lamps, silk shades . . \$6.95 to \$35.00

Special Values

Engraved Sterling Silver Vanity Cases
Value \$10.00 \$7.50

Sterling Silver Frames
Oval cabinet and plain . . . Value \$4.50 \$1.45

Pearl Necklaces . . . Value \$5.95 \$3.95

Sterling Silver Rhinestone La Vallieres
Values to \$6.95 \$2.95

Bar Pins, La Vallieres, Cuff Links, Scarf Pins,
Brooches, Lorgnette Chains, Buckles, Collar
Pins, in sterling silver, gold plate and enamel.
50c & \$1.00 each
Values 75c to \$1.50

Exceptional Values in
Chiffon Cloth, Lace, Crepe
Meteor & Brocaded Satin
Waists

Chiffon Cloth, in several attractive models, in
black and all the desirable colors.

\$3.95, \$5.00, \$5.95, \$6.95, \$8.75

Fancy Lace Waists, Brussels net lined, chiffon
and satin trimmed (cream color).

\$5.95, \$7.50, \$8.75, \$12.75

Crepe Meteor, dressy, high or low neck models.
Black, white and colors.

\$6.95

Brocaded Satin, in various dressy or tailored
models.

\$6.50, \$6.95, \$7.95, \$8.75, \$10.75

A large assortment of
Washable Wool Waists
White grounds with colored stripes

\$2.95, \$3.50, \$3.95, \$4.95, \$7.50

Gift Handkerchiefs

Pure Linen Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs
25c, 50c & \$1.00 Each

Linen & Shamrock Lawn Handkerchiefs
Fancy corner effects and initials

75c, \$1.00 & \$1.50 per box

Broadway & 20th St.; 5th Ave.; 19th St.

Gift Suggestions in Selected Furs

Women's Full Length Coats

Seal-Dyed Coney . . \$75.00, \$95.00, \$125.00
Blended Squirrel . . . \$137.50
Persian Lamb . . . \$300.00 to \$550.00
Blended Marmot with
Natural Raccoon Collar . . . \$85.00
Seal-Dyed Muskrat . . \$145.00 to \$450.00
Broadtail . . . \$625.00 to \$850.00
Black Caracul . . \$87.50, \$100.00, \$195.00
Black Pony with
Natural Raccoon Collar . . \$65.00, \$95.00

Matched Fur Sets

Civet . . . \$45.00
Black Fox . . . \$55.00
Black Opossum . . . \$20.00
Caracul . . . \$35.00
White Moufflon . . . \$30.00
Skunk . . . \$65.00
Pointed Fox . . . \$62.50
Black Lynx . . . \$92.50

Exceptional Values Offered in Silk Petticoats, House Gowns & Kimonos

Silk Petticoats

Messaline, in several
models with pleated
flounce, in black and all
the desirable shades. . . \$2.95, \$3.95 & \$5.00

Silk Jersey Top,
with messaline
flounce or silk Jer-
sey . . . \$3.95, \$5.00, \$5.50 & \$5.95

Wool Jersey Top, with messaline
flounce (black only) . . . \$3.95 & \$4.95

House Gowns

Several pretty models in Messaline
Satin, Empire, plain or accordion
pleated skirt, effectively trimmed
with chiffon and pretty laces. . . \$10.75 & \$12.75

Flowered Bordered Satin, Empire model
accordion pleated skirt. . . \$11.75

Crepe-de-Chine, Empire model, lingerie collar
and cuffs. . . \$6.95

Albatross, accordion pleated skirt,
collar and revers Val. lace trimmed,
for model with cluny lace. . . \$6.45 & \$6.95

Albatross, Empire models, V neck or with collar,
filet or cluny lace trimmed. . . \$5.95

Albatross, Empire model, plain skirt, with dotted
organdie collar and cuffs, Val. lace trimmed . . \$4.95

Kimonos

Flowered or Dotted Mull, wool
lined throughout, satin trimmed. . . \$3.95 & \$4.95

Flowered Satin, Empire model. . . \$3.75

Flowered Silk, satin trimmed. . . \$2.95

Three Models in Albatross, with em-
broided collar, or satin trimmed. . \$4.45 & \$4.95

Albatross, straight models, cluny lace or satin
trimmed. . . \$3.95

Fitted or loose models in Flowered Crepe, effectively
trimmed. . . \$1.45, \$1.75, \$1.95 & \$2.45
Outing Flannels, in various models
\$1.25, \$1.45, \$1.65 & \$1.75

Broadway & 20th St.; 5th Ave.; 19th St.

Piano Sale

Franklin Player Pianos

The Family Entertainer

\$375; regularly \$450 on 5th Avenue

Fully Guaranteed by the Reliable House of Fischer

Special Terms

\$15 Down; Balance in Monthly Sums

J. & C. Fischer

Factory Salesroom, 417 West 28th Street, Near 9th Avenue

Oldest Piano Makers in New York